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Transmitted herewith for filing is the **non-provisional** utility patent application entitled:

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which is:

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a  Continuation,  Divisional, or  Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior pending PCT Application PCT/US99/25134 filed on October 26, 1999 (International Publication No. WO00/24261 published on May 4, 2000 [copy enclosed]); Provisional Patent Application No. 60/105,671, filed on October 26, 1998

Enclosed are:

- Specification (including Abstract) and claims: 28 pages.
- Newly executed/unexecuted Declaration (original/copy).
- Copy of Declaration from prior application.
- Separate Power of Attorney (including 37 CFR 3.73(b) statement, if applicable).
- 4 sheets of drawings (formal) plus one copy.
- Microfiche computer program (Appendix).
- Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission, including:
  - Computer readable copy  Paper Copy ( \_\_\_\_\_ pages)
  - Verified Statement
- Under PTO-1595 cover sheet, an assignment of the invention.
- Certified copy(ies) of \_\_\_\_\_ Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_, is filed:
  - herewith
  - or
  - in prior application \_\_\_\_\_.
- Applicants, by their undersigned attorney, claim Small Entity Status under 37 C.F.R. §1.27 as  an Independent Inventor, or  a Small Business Concern, or  a Non-Profit Organization
- Preliminary Amendment.
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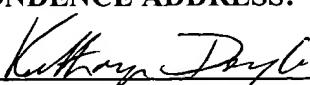
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